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Mr. Wayne Budrus
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Huntington District
502 8th Street
Huntington, WV 25701

Dear Mr. Budrus:

On June 20 and 22, 2006, I conducted aerial detection surveys for gypsy moth-caused tree defoliation at Alum Creek Lake, Burnsville Lake, Delaware Lake, Dillon Lake, Mohawk Dam, North Branch of Kokosing River, Summersville Lake, and Sutton Lake. I am pleased to report that no defoliation was detected at, or in the vicinity of, your sites.

However, if you anticipate requesting financial or technical assistance for gypsy moth control in 2007, please contact Brad Onken (304) 285-1546 or me (304) 285-1555 before August 25, 2006.

Please contact me at the above number if you have any questions regarding this aerial survey or survey letter.

Sincerely,

RODNEY L. WHITEMAN
Forester
Forest Health Protection

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Bob Cifranic, Dillon Lake
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